

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-07

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: UNCTAD ETRD

SUBJ: UNCTAD SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PREFERENCES; PROPOSED  
RESOLUTION AGAINST US-GSP SCHEME

REF: GENEVA 0083

1. AT GROUP B MEETING JAN 8 SEVERAL DELS EXPRESSED  
CONCERN AT PRECEDENT WHICH WOULD BE SET BY PROPOSED  
RESOLUTION CRITICIZING U.S. SCHEME PARA 1 REFTEL.  
ALL GROUP B DELS FELT IT WOULD BE INAPPROPRIATE FOR  
UNCTAD TO ADDRESS RESOLUTIONS TO INDIVIDUAL MEMBER  
COUNTRIES.

2. IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY AGREED THAT GROUP B WOULD  
OPPOSE SUCH PRECEDENT. CHAIRMAN IS PASSING THIS  
VIEW TO GROUP 77 IN EFFORT FORESTALL CONFRONTATION  
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THIS ISSUE. IMPLICATION LEFT BY STATEMENTS OTHER

DELS WAS THAT AT LEAST SOME WOULD BE WILLING VOTE  
AGAINST SUCH RESOLUTION IF NECESSARY.

3. IN VIEW OF STRONG STAND GROUP B PLANS TAKE, WE  
WOULD ALSO OBJECT TO RESOLUTION ON PRINCIPLE AND  
AVOID BEING DRAWN INTO NEGOTIATION ON TEXT.DALE

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